GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Higher Education – Hon'ble Supreme Court Judgment dt.03-11-2017 suspending the Engineering Degrees awarded by IASE, VMRF, JRN and AAI Deemed Universities – Taking necessary action in compliance of the judgment – Orders – Issued

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HIGHER EDUCATION (EC) DEPATMENT

G.O.Rt.No.143 Dt:11-07-2018

Read the following

1) From the Hon'ble Supreme Court Civil Appeal Nos.17869-17870/2017 (arising out of Special Leave Petition (C) No.s 19807-19808/2012), dated.03.11.2017.
2) From the Secretary, APSCHE, Lr. No.APSCHE/Ums-1035-Clarification-Deemed-Judgment/2017, dt.23-11-2017

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, Supreme Court have pronounced judgment on 3-11-2017 suspending the Engineering Degrees awarded by JRN Rajasthan Vidyapeeth, Udaipur, Rajasthan, Institute of Advanced Studies in Education, Sardarshahr, Rajasthan, Vinayaka Mission's Research Foundation Salem, Tamil Nadu, Allahabad Agricultural Institute, Allahabad, Uttar Pradesh to those admitted from 2001 to 2005 with the following directions.

(i) Insofar as candidates enrolled during the Academic Sessions 2001-2005, in the present case the ex post facto approvals granted by UGC and their concerned authorities are set aside.
(ii) Consequent to aforesaid direction, all the degrees in Engineering awarded by concerned Deemed to be Universities stand suspended.
(iii) As regards students who were admitted after the Academic Sessions 2001-2005, their degrees in Engineering awarded by the concerned Deemed to be Universities through distance education mode stand recalled and be treated as cancelled. All benefits secured by such candidates shall stand withdrawn except monetary benefit.
(iv) If such students clear the test/tests conducted by AICTE within the stipulated time, all the advantages or benefits shall be restored to the concerned candidates.
(v) If the concerned candidates do not clear the test/tests within the time stipulated or choose not to appear at the test/tests, their degrees in Engineering through distance education shall stand recalled and cancelled.

2. The proposal of the Secretary, A.P State Council of Higher Education in the reference 2nd read above, Government after careful examination hereby decided to implement the Supreme Court Judgment dated.03.11.2017 with the following directions to all the Departments/All the State Universities

(a) To revert the employees who promoted based on the Engineering Degrees of the said deemed Universities with the direction to attend and qualify in the Test conducted by the All India Council of Technical Education to get their benefit or promotion or and other financial benefits thereon.

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(b) To suspend / recalled / cancelled the Degrees issued by the Universities of AP to those students studied based on the Engineering Degrees of said Deemed Universities and issue notices to such students with a direction to attend and qualify in the test conducted by All India Council of Technical Education to restore their Degrees issued by the University.

3. All the Secretariat Departments / All HODs / TTD / All State the Universities is hereby requested to implement the Judgment pronounced by the Supreme Court of India dated.03.11.2017 duly following the contents mentioned in the para (1) above.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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All the Head of the Departments
All the Universities in the State

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER